

## WIASRD Public Use File

The Employment and Training Administration is providing you access to the Workforce Investment Act Standardized Record Data (WIASRD file) via the enclosed CD. Each year, states must submit their WIASRD file, which contains information on individuals who exited from WIA programs, to ETA as part of their annual performance reporting requirements. In order to address privacy and confidentiality concerns regarding this data, ETA has taken two steps:

- 1) The birth date for each exiter has been removed. It has been replaced with a whole number age variable (age in years), calculated using the birth date and the individual's date of registration into the program.
- 2) In instances where there were 50 or fewer individual records submitted for a given local area in a program year, ETA removed all records. Thus, ETA has removed 2,107 records from the national file (1,434 PY 2000 exiters, 488 PY 2001 exiters, and 185 PY 2002 exiters), which means that there is no exiter data for the following local areas:
  - a. PY 2000 exiters in 1005, 4015, 4020, 4060, 4065, 5040, 6030, 6055, 6085, 6215, 6225, 6230, 6260, 6265, 13095, 13285, 17075, 19030, 19100, 19110, 19155, 22030, 22035, 22065, 22095, 24050, 26145, 27080, 27100, 28055, 34010, 34030, 34050, 34110, 36005, 36150, 36175, 36225, 37065, 37075, 37130, 37215, 40005, 40010, 40015, 40025, 40035, 40045, 51080, and 51105.
  - b. PY 2001 exiters in 4020, 4060, 6225, 19030, 19100, 19110, 19115, 19155, 22025, 22090, 27080, 37035, 37140, 51080, and 51085.
  - c. PY 2002 exiters in 4015, 4020, 4060, 19030, 19110, and 19155.

*Please note: because these records were deleted from the public use file, aggregate information computed from this file may not match national aggregates produced and published by ETA.*

To further address privacy and confidentiality concerns, your receipt of the data via CD serves as agreement to:

- 1) Use this information for valid research purposes only, not to identify any individual; and,
- 2) Present summaries of this information such that aggregate information reflecting characteristics, services or outcomes that could be used to identify an individual on eight (8) or fewer individuals will be suppressed from any findings made public.

Failure to comply with this agreement will result in denial of access to the WIASRD file in the future.

If you have any questions about the WIASRD or steps necessary to protect the data, please call ETA's Performance and Results Office at 202-693-3031.

WIASRD information from following local areas was deleted from the public use file:

1005	AL	Jefferson County Workforce Investment Board
4015	AZ	Graham County Employment & Training Administration
4020	AZ	Greenlee Workforce Investment Board
4060	AZ	Apache County Workforce Partnership
4065	AZ	Coconino County WIB
5040	AR	Southwest AR PDD
6030	CA	Foothill Employment and Training Consortium
6055	CA	City of Richmond Workforce Investment Board
6085	CA	Marin County Department of Health & Human Services
6215	CA	Kings County Job Training Office
6225	CA	San Benito County - CSWD
6230	CA	Napa County Employment And Training Center
6260	CA	Santa Ana Workforce Investment Board
6265	CA	City of Anaheim Workforce Investment Board
13095	GA	Southeast Georgia Area 19
13285	GA	Middle Flint Area 15
17075	IL	Central Illinois Workforce Development Board - LWA
19030	IA	Iowa Valley Employment and Training 6
19100	IA	NW Iowa Planning Region 3&4-1
19110	IA	NW Iowa Planning Region 3&4-2
19115	IA	Workforce Investment Board Region 5
19155	IA	Council of Governments Region 8
22025	LA	Orleans Workforce Investment Board, Inc.
22030	LA	Ouachita Parish Workforce Investment Board
22035	LA	Rapides Parish - Workforce Investment Board #61
22065	LA	Fifth Planning District Consortium - LWIA #50
22090	LA	St.Charles Consortium - LWIA #14
22095	LA	Franklin Parish Consortium
24050	MD	Southern Maryland Workforce Investment Board
26145	MI	Michigan Works! #D
27080	MN	Winona County Workforce Investment Board
27100	MN	Washington County Workforce Council
28055	MS	Hinds County Workforce Investment Board
34010	NJ	Union County Workforce Investment Board
34030	NJ	Mercer County Workforce Investment Board
34050	NJ	Essex County Workforce Investment Board
34110	NJ	Greater Raritan Workforce Investment Board
36005	NY	Capital Region
36150	NY	North Country
36175	NY	Erie County
36225	NY	Tompkins County
37035	NC	Gaston County Local Area
37065	NC	Southwestern Workforce Development Consortium
37075	NC	Region C Workforce Development Consortium
37130	NC	Northeastern Workforce Investment Consortium
37140	NC	Central Piedmont Service Delivery Area
37215	NC	Capital Area Workforce Development Consortium

40005	OK	Northwest Workforce Investment Board
40010	OK	North Central Workforce Investment Board
40015	OK	Southwest Workforce Investment Board
40025	OK	Cleveland County Workforce Development Board, Inc.
40035	OK	Tulsa Area Workforce Investment Board, Inc.
40045	OK	Southern Workforce Investment Board
51080	VA	Northern Shenandoah Valley 5
51085	VA	Region 2000 Workforce Investment Board 7
51105	VA	West Piedmont Workforce Investment Board 17